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## **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

A dental tool apparatus for use with a curing lamp in filling a tooth preparation, has an elongate handle, and with the elongate handle held in a horizontal attitude, one end of the elongate handle extends upwardly at an angle of between 20 and 45 degrees with respect to the horizontal. The one end of the elongate handle engages a light transmissive utility element having an upwardly facing convex top surface, a cone shaped body extending downwardly from the top surface, and a workpiece extending downwardly from the cone shaped body. With the elongate handle held in the horizontal attitude, the workpiece presents a vertical contact surface for pushing on a vertical surface of the tooth preparation.